



November/December 2019

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Message from the Principal

As the beautiful, ever changing fall season comes to an end, we look forward to the excitement that comes with the first snow fall, and all the fun activities associated with winter. Throughout the last two months, our students had the opportunity to partake in a variety of fun educational experiences. Our Kindergarten friends had an opportunity to attend the Royal Agricultural Winter Fair, where they fed various farm animals, and met some famous cartoon characters from Paw Patrol. Our primary students also went on an exciting and memorable trip to Casa Loma. The students experienced the beauty of this historical castle, especially as it was beautifully decorated for the festive season. They too had an opportunity to meet someone special. Hint: He wears a red suit and has a reindeer named Rudolph. These memorable experiences would not be possible if it wasn't for the committed staff, who organized these trips, and the many family volunteers who joined us.

As always, we believe and encourage an open-door policy. Please continue to visit our school website or follow us on Twitter to view all the exciting events that are happening at Inglewood. We are so proud of our students!

If you have any questions, comments or concerns, please feel free to contact the school.

Wishing everyone Happy Holidays and a decade full of Laughter, Good Health and Happiness!!!

Sincerely,
Ms. Leo
Principal



Inglewood Heights Jr. P.S. Newsletter

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Inglewood Heights Jr. P.S. School Council

The 2019-2020 Executive for the School Council:
Co-Chairs: Joseph Downes & Juliet Veracion
Secretary: Sherene Lowe
Treasurer: Zeeshan Amin
Future Dates: Tuesday, February 25, 2020, Tuesday, April 28, 2020 @ 6:00pm in the Library. Child-minding and will be provided.

Student Council News

In December we have been doing many fun activities, events and fundraisers. One of the many fun things we have been doing is an Ugly Sweater Contest. The kids got to decorate the sweaters and the teachers wore them on stage as a fashion show. Another exciting event we did was "Ms. Leo's Game of Games!" How this worked is there were two teams, the red team and the green team. Before the event started, Ms. Leo would go to every class to inform them of which team they were in. On the day of the game of games, you have to wear the colour of the team you are on if you are on the red team you wear red and if you are on the green team you wear green. Each teacher goes on stage and there are a bunch of challenges and games and the teachers have to compete and whichever team gets the most points they win. Some fundraisers are the candy cane sales and the hot chocolate sales. The candy canes were sold pretty quickly. That is what we have been doing in December and it was pretty fun. We hope that everyone at Inglewood enjoyed the fun events in December!

By: Tara & Matea :)



On November 28, 2019, the Boys Volleyball Team participated in a tournament at Percy Williams Jr. P.S. To start the day, the boys participated in skills and drills, while getting to know the players from the other schools.

The afternoon consisted of team play. The boys came away with 2 wins and were undefeated in the tournament. Congratulations to the boys for their hard work, great sportsmanship and teamwork.

The following students were members of the Boys Volleyball Team:

Ahmad, Bihandu, Carlos, Clifford, Collin, Dreydan, Jarrett, Joshua, Justin, Lamarr, Tamim, Vincent, and Yesandu



Student of the Month Recipients

November (EMPATHY)

Teacher Name	Grade	Student Name
Ms. Nanthacumar Ms. Gardiner	FDK	Eddie, Raine, Bento & Cassidy
Ms. Murray Ms. Samaroo	FDK	Chinara & Liam
Ms. Gaind	FDK	Kiros
Ms. Brahos	1	Eiliyah & Hasnain
Ms. Kastanis	1	Doreen & Kerem
Ms. Katsoulis	1/2	Zainab & Lakshmi
Ms. Ramsaroop	2/3	Cordel & Santiago
Ms. Bousquet	3/4	Iqra
Ms. Vassegh	4/5	Jason, Lawin & Rand
Mr. Tan	5/6	Ayse & Shawn
Mr. Tazumi	ISP	TayJuon
Ms. Leventhal	ISP	Mya



Student of the Month Recipients December (KINDNESS & CARING)

Teacher Name	Grade	Student Name
Ms. Nanthacumar Ms. Gardiner	FDK	Momo, Eddie, Phineas, Raine & Sabreen
Ms. Murray Ms. Samaroo	FDK	Hiba & Jayden
Ms. Gaind	FDK	Leah
Ms. Brahos	1	Alyssa, Elizan & Janani
Ms. Kastanis	1	Christopher, Zoe & Luca
Ms. Katsoulis	1/2	Alyssa & Valentina
Ms. Ramsaroop	2/3	Charan & Leah
Ms. Bousquet	3/4	Kali
Ms. Vassegh	4/5	Linda, Lucas & Sheeky
Mr. Tan	5/6	Emma & Neeraja
Mr. Tazumi	ISP	Erica
Ms. Leventhal	ISP	Josephina



Dear Santa,



My name is Ian. I am six
years old. For Christmas I
would like a power ranger and
only tiger and toy and I would like
the green ranger name Tommy.
and I want a ~~five~~ toy Santa
how old are you I think I
deserve this because I wish my
plate and I promise to take a



sower
everyday.
Sincerely,
Ian

Dear Santa,

My name is Abel

WU. I am six years

old. My guitar is broken

So I want a new

guitar for Christmas. I think

I deserve a guitar

because I work

very hard. how many kids

do you have Santa



Sincerely,

Abel WU

Jimmy

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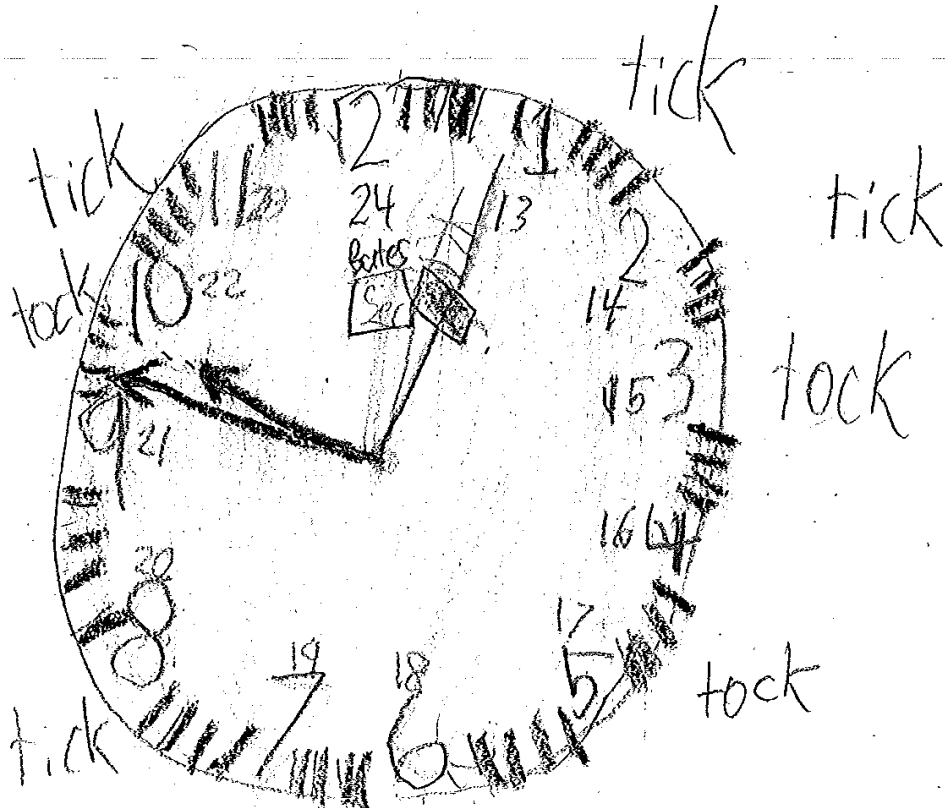
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It has numbers and hands too

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click



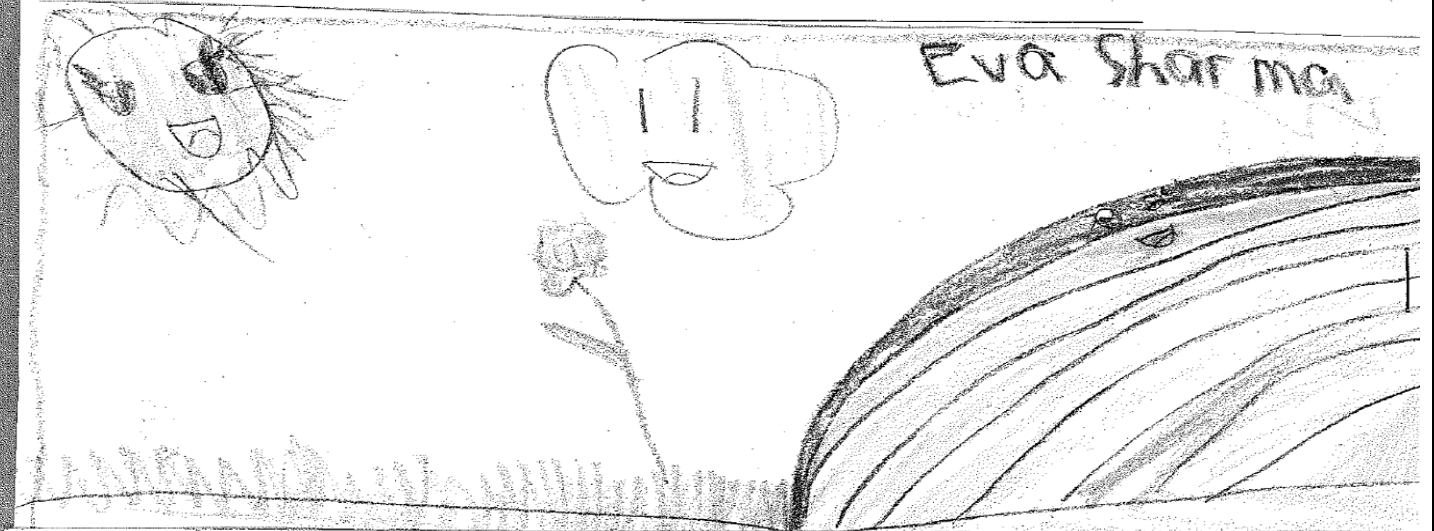
Eva Olin

Haiku Poem

Rainbows

I can smell fresh air
It looks like unicorn hair

It is standing up.



Eva Sharma



Olin Zhao

Traffic Safety Tips: Help Make this a Safe Winter Season

As winter approaches, we know that severe weather will be part of our daily lives for the next several months. While traffic safety is an important matter all year long, this is a particularly good time to review what we can do to keep students safe.

The need to be aware and alert at all times, on any road, and even in the most routine circumstances is key to traffic safety. This applies to students and drivers alike. Road conditions can be challenging in the winter months. So to those of us who drive, please take extra care on the roads and in parking lots, especially in areas where children might be present.

School staff periodically review street and traffic safety with students. Parents can help reinforce these safety messages with children at home. Below are some tips that might be helpful to review.

- Stop, look, and listen for traffic.
- Only cross at corners and crosswalks.
- Make eye contact with drivers.
- Walk on the right side of the crosswalk.
- Wear appropriate footwear to reduce the chances of slipping.
- Never run into the street.
- Obey crossing signals.
- Cross only if clear.
- Walk on sidewalks.
- Where there are no sidewalks, walk as far away from traffic as possible, facing traffic.

The safety of our students is always a top priority. Let's work together to make the winter season safe so we can enjoy all it has to offer





Stay Healthy During Flu Season

Flu season is here again. In Canada, flu season tends to run between October and April. The Ontario government is encouraging Ontarians to avoid getting sick this flu season by getting their annual flu shot.

Toronto Public Health is recommending that whenever students and staff experience flu-like symptoms, they are sent home and do not return to school until they are no longer infectious to others. Therefore, ill students and staff should be symptom-free (especially from vomiting and diarrhea) for at least 48 hours before returning to school.

The primary concern is for the health and safety of all students and staff. Please note that no special measures are required when there is a case of influenza in a school or daycare. However, everyone should do their part to stop the spread of the flu. As parents, you can also assist by:

- reminding children to wash their hands often especially after using the washroom and before and after eating;
- reminding children to cover their sneeze and cough;
- watching for symptoms of vomiting, diarrhea, dizziness, and/or high fever;
- informing the school if your child is ill;
- keeping your child at home when he/she is ill.

For more information, please visit the Toronto Public Health website www.toronto.ca/health, contact your family doctor, or Telehealth Ontario. 1-866-797-0000.



Weather and Student Transportation



From time to time, it may be necessary to cancel student transportation, classes and/or programs due to severe weather. On rare occasions, severe weather makes it necessary to close schools, administrative offices or sites.

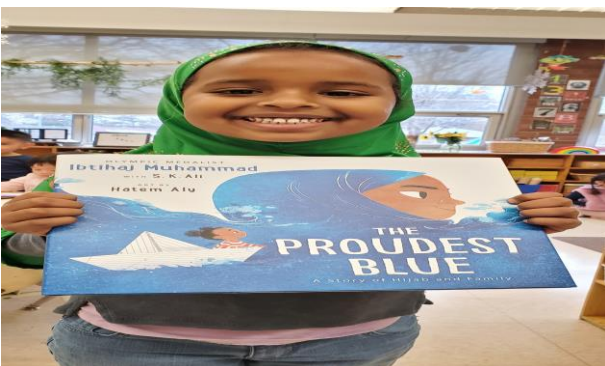
With approximately 246,000 students in 582 schools, any decision to cancel buses, classes and/or programs or to close sites can have a significant impact on thousands of families across Toronto. This decision is not taken lightly. When schools remain open on days with inclement weather, parents/guardians make the final decision on whether to send their children to school and they can keep children home from school if they so choose.

Should a cancellation or closure be necessary, information will be posted on the TDSB web site, TDSB social media and provided to local media by 6 a.m. For more information, please see the TDSB's Procedure for Severe Weather: <http://www.tdsb.on.ca/About-Us/Detail/docId/242>



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Look what we've been up to in November and December







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A HAPPY 2020
FROM THE INGLEWOOD
STAFF**